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PI 597490 QUAR. Pennisetum glaucum (L.) R. Br.

Breeding. Inbred. ICMP 85410. GP-36. Pedigree - ICP 165 x ICP 220. Restorer line of pearl millet singlecross grain hybrid ICMH 85410. Height dwarf 95-107 cm, 3-5 basal tillers per plant, and flowers 56-64 d from planting. Panicles cylindrical. Grains small 6.3 g 1000-1, shape globular, color yellowish-gray. Grain yield 1141-1692 kg ha-1 at ICRISAT Asia Center, Patancheru. Downy mildew incidence 0-21% compared to 0-22% for resistant control P7-04 in India.

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PI 597491 QUAR. Pennisetum glaucum (L.) R. Br.

Breeding. Inbred. ICMR 501. PL-33. Pedigree - Random mating of 11 phenotypically similar inbred lines derived from Bold Seeded Early Composite (BSEC) and selected from the ICRISAT potential R-line trial (PRLT-2), followed by population improvement using pedigree selection. Topcross pollinator parental line of pearl millet (Pennisetum gluacum) grain hybrid cultivar GICH 501. Height medium 128-181 cm, 3-7 basal tillers per plant, and flowers in 40-50 d from planting. Panicle length medium 18-21 cm, compact to semi-compact, shape conical. Seeds bold, 12 g 1000-1, shape globular, color gray. Grain yield 2803-3825 kg ha-1 in summer season 1994 and rainy season 1993 at ICRISAT Asia Center, Patancheru. Downy mildew incidence 0-4% in India compared with 0-19% for resistant inbred control P7-4.

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PI 597492. Trifolium repens L.

Cultivar. "CERTIFIED OREGON LADINO"; FC 33144; G 6854. Adapted to hot weather.

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PI 597493. Trifolium repens L.

Cultivar. "PILGRIM-LADINO"; FC 36477; G 12582.